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ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER 009992.00004 TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5) **CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371** カンシジン INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO PCT/EP2005/000187 INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 07-Jan-05 CLAIMED 07-Jan-04 TITLE OF INVENTION **VOLTAGE MEASURING DEVICE** APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Thomas SORENSEN Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below. The US has been elected (Article 31). A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. has been communicated by the International Bureau. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). is attached hereto. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). have been communicated by the International Bureau. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. have not been made and will not be made. An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT 10. Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included: 11. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. 12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. A preliminary amendment. An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76. 15. 🔽 A substitute specification. A power of attorney and/or change of address letter. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821- 1.825. A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

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Honorable Commissioner:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the above-referenced U.S. National Phase Application of PCT International Patent Application No. PCT/EP2005/000187. Enclosed are:

- 1. Transmittal Letter to the United States Designated/Elected Office Concerning a Filing Under 35 U.S.C. 371 (3 pages).
- 2. Copy of the Published International Application (41 pages total including twelve (12) pages of drawings and a three (3) page International Search Report).
- 3. A Substitute Specification having eleven (11) claims (27 pages)
- 4. Our check in the amount of \$450.00 to cover the filing fee.
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Applicant hereby asserts that it is entitled to claim Small Entity Status.

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Enclosed herewith is a substitute specification for filing in the national phase of the above-identified PCT International Application, which includes the detailed description and amended claims, formatted according to U.S. practice. Should the Authorized Officer have any question concerning this substitute specification, they are respectfully requested to contact the undersigned counsel for Applicant.

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